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To: Baker, Lorie [Baker.Lorie@epa.gov]; O'Loughlin, Connor [oloughlin.connor@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: PFAS Analytical Questions - Blades Groundwater Site

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Connor and I discussed this this am. As part of the issue with the data stems from the fact that TA analyzed the samples according to the true method (which Fort Meade is saying requires the use of trizma regardless of whether it's a finished Drinking water or unfinished groundwater sample) when we had requested the modified method (which does not necessarily require trizma) TA had offered to reanalyze the samples at no cost. Our chemist has a call in to them to discuss and confirm this issue. They are in CA.

I am also going to discuss this issue with our PM when he gets back in the office this afternoon. I told Connor I would get back to him this afternoon after I talk with and we get things straightened out with TA.

Though it is possible that they may say they will reanalyze the samples according to the modified method we requested — meaning no Trizma, as opposed to now we were thinking we would just do the true method for sample similarity with the samples that were analyzed by Fort Meade. If they are will to do the samples again at no cost based on the modified method (no trizma — which is how the rest of the country analyzes MW samples), it would be a good idea to make sure the ESAT folks are on board with this.

I feel like there's so many moving parts on this....

Principal Project Scientist
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From: Baker, Lorie [mailto:Baker.Lorie@epa.gov] Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 11:32 AM

To: O'Loughlin, Connor <oloughlin.connor@epa.gov>; Nonresponsive based on revised scope @WestonSolutions.com>

Subject: RE: PFAS Analytical Questions - Blades Groundwater Site

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Does the TDD need to be amended for Tier IV and the sampling next week?

From: O'Loughlin, Connor

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Cc: Yap-deffler, Yazmine <Yap-Deffler.Yazmine@epa.gov>; Baker, Lorie <Baker.Lorie@epa.gov>

Subject: FW: PFAS Analytical Questions - Blades Groundwater Site

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I have attached my questions to Kevin and Brandon. As you can see he sent it on to the PFAS chemist. I am hoping to get a response soon to be able to answer the outstanding questions as we proceed to procure a Tier IV lab.

Connor O'Loughlin P.G.

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From: Poff, Kevin

Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 10:37 AM **To:** Molnar, Adam < <u>Molnar.Adam@epa.gov</u>>

Cc: O'Loughlin, Connor < oloughlin.connor@epa.gov>

Subject: PFAS Analytical Questions - Blades Groundwater Site

Hello Connor, How are you?

I've forwarded your email to one of our PFC chemists who is familiar with EPA 537 and it's QC and stabilization requirements. Adam should be able to provide quick answers to the below. Let me know if you need anything else!

Kevin Poff Chemist USEPA Environmental Science Center 701 Mapes Road Fort Meade MD 20755 410-305-2938

From: O'Loughlin, Connor

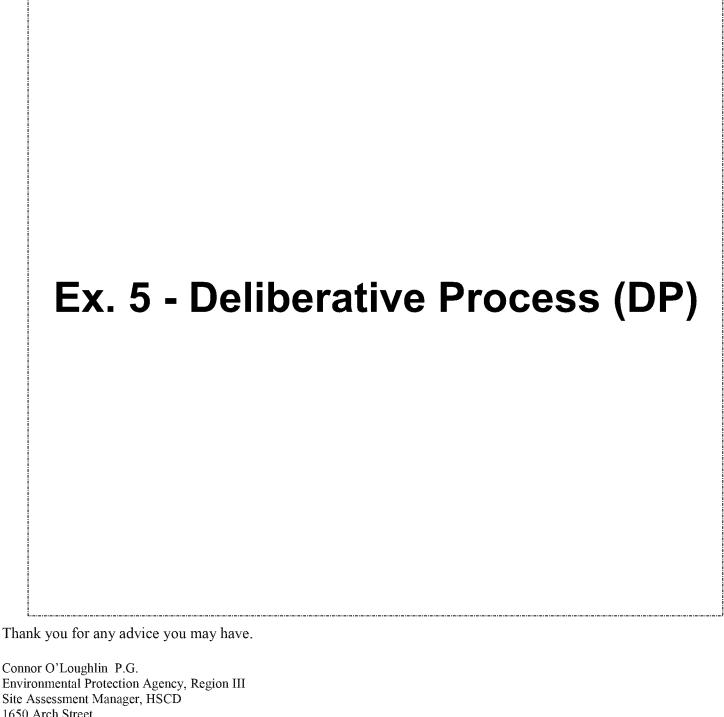
Sent: Wednesday, March 20, 2019 10:19 AM

To: Poff, Kevin < Poff. Kevin@epa.gov>

Subject: PFAS Analytical Questions - Blades Groundwater Site

Kevin,

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